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Ed/Christine/David:

As I just discussed with Christine, I understand that the notice of voluntary dismissal that I just submitted may have taken you by surprise. I definitely did not decide on that course of action before attending today' s conference. As David pointed after the conference, the FLSA damages are quite small in comparison with the NY labor law claims, and the backpay under the FLSA is subsumed by the NYLL damages. Accordingly, I would rather devote my energy to recovering money owed my clients and the class under NYLL in state court. Please feel free to call me to discuss further.

Thanks.

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